

YOUR PROBLEMS

by
Ann Landers

"Don't Call, Let Her Call..."

Dear Ann Landers: A dear friend of mine has a four-year-old daughter who is a pain in the neck. The child is permitted to answer the telephone every time it rings.

The mother thinks it's cute and encourages the girl to chat at length with the adults who call. Maybe I'm an old meanie but I have no desire to listen to the child babble on and on. In fact I find her obnoxious.

I'm tempted to tell the mother how I feel but I don't have the nerve. Do you think it's right for a four-year-old to have complete charge of the telephone? How can I avoid this irritating situation? — TRUDY

Dear Trudy: Don't tell her—let her call you. In my opinion, a four-year-old should not be permitted to answer the telephone. Children should be taught early that a phone is not a toy. Young children should speak on the phone only to those who ask specifically to speak to them, and not be inflicted on every unsuspecting caller.

Should you tell the mother how you feel? If you're long on friends and don't mind losing one, go ahead.

Dear Ann: We've been married 22 years and have three children. Our life together has always been a little rough for a variety of reasons.

I learned two years ago he was seeing a woman who works for him. She's 10 years younger than I am, very pretty, and I can see how a man would fall for her. I went to pieces and started to drink heavily. He promised I'd quit drinking he'd stop seeing her. I have kept my promise and he has kept his.

I've been going to the office every day to do the bookkeeping. The truth is I'm keeping an eye on him. This woman got married last year but she still works there.

Our relationship is strained and sometimes I think I should stop fighting it. I've offered him freedom but he says he doesn't want it. What's best? — UNDECIDED

Dear Undecided: Keep fighting but adopt some new ring rules. Stay away from the office. Your husband feels "watched" and this is poisonous to any relationship. Make yourself as interesting and attractive as possible. And when he's at home — turn on the heat.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm 15 and never dreamed a girl my age could need advice so badly.

A week ago Saturday night this fellow (I'll call him Rock) asked for a date. He said he'd call me during the week and let me know what time he'd pick me up. I stayed home all week waiting for the call because he is a very popular senior.

Well, he didn't call and I was heartbroken. This morning my best girl friend told me that last night she and her boy friend doubled with Rock and his date was a girl who is a real kook.

This afternoon Rock had the nerve to call me for a date for next week. He acted as if nothing happened. I said no—that I was busy, and I made no reference to being stood up. The trouble is I really like the guy or should I say rat and I DO DO DO want to go out with him. How shall I play it? — FAY

Dear Fay: Play it cool. The next time Rock calls for a date tell him you'd like to go with him but you've learned from experience he's not very reliable. Ask him what happened and give him a chance to explain. There's no point in stewing silently about something when he may have a perfectly plausible explanation.

Are you going steady? Making marriage plans? If so, send for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "Before You Marry—Is It Love Or Sex?" enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a large, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

(Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.)

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JUNIOR CHARITY HORSE SHOW . . . Aug. 14 has been set as the date of the third annual Junior Horse Show sponsored by Las Amigas, auxiliary to the Crippled Children's Guild of Orthopaedic Hospital. Empty Saddle Club in Rolling Hills will be the scene of the three divisions

of competition. Pictured at the club are from left, Mrs. Jack Baddeley, member of the show committee; Bonnie Tiltrell and Heiena Papis, contestants. Proceeds will go to riders under 18 years of age.

Rev., Mrs. D. Shelby At Home in La Puente

Rev. and Mrs. Donald Shelby have returned from their honeymoon in Northern California and Oregon and are now at home at the St. Matthew's Methodist Parsonage, 15563 E. Newton St., La Puente. The couple were married on Sunday afternoon, July 18 at four o'clock at the St. Matthew's Methodist Church in North Whittier Heights, of which the Rev. Shelby is pastor. Officiating at the vow exchange was Dr. John Black, of the First Methodist Church in Ventura. Dr. Black, district superintendent, assisted Rev. Shelby in organizing the St. Matthew's church two years ago.

Mrs. Shelby is the former Donna Jean Watson of Torrance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson of Coshocton, Ohio, who came to attend the wedding.

White chrysanthemums and candles decorated the church chancel. Lynn Shelby, in a yellow chiffon gown, lighted the candles. The chancel rail was marked with magnolia blossoms and leaves and the altar arrangement was of yellow roses, white larkspur and gladioli.

Mr. Watson walked to the altar with his daughter. She wore a gown of silk organza

over taffeta fashioned with a portrait neckline, long pointed sleeves and a bouffant skirt. Panels of Chantilly lace studded with pearls and sequins were down each side of the front of the skirt. A wide lace panel down the back of the gown fell into a chapel train.

An organza cap, adorned with pearls, held her illusion veil and she carried the bridegroom's gift, a white Bible, topped by orchids and stephanotis.

The matrons of honor, Mrs. Gordon Routh and Mrs. Irvin Shelby, and Miss Cynthia Routh, the bridesmaid, were all gowned in full skirted street length dresses of orchid organza over orchid taffeta. They carried orchid water lilies and magnolia leaves.

Karla Speer of Long Beach, wearing an orchid organza frock, dropped petals from a basket in the path of the

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MRS. DONALD SHELBY
... Former Torrance Teacher (Brown Studio)

Gala Luau Fetes Stacy On Birthday

Splendor of the tropical isle of Hawaii has captivated the young social set and a colorful luau feted Miss Stacy Barrington when she celebrated her fifth birthday. An aloha party was given at the home of Stacy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barrington, 2368 Torrance Blvd. last Saturday afternoon.

Stacy's young guests and their mothers arrived wearing colorful "muu-muus." Each was presented with a lei in true Hawaiian hospitality. A luau was served amid tropical decor. Games were played and the birthday cake was served.

Guests were Mrs. James Post and daughter, Sally; Mrs. R. D. Bolen and Mary Lee; Mrs. Robert Tolson and Cindy; Mrs. Ed Patrarca, Susan and Sandy; Mrs. Keith Fowler and Janice; Leslie and Claudia Barrington, sisters of the honoree; and her godmother, Mrs. Robert Leach.

Visit Island

A day in Catalina and the moonlight cruise back to the mainland was enjoyed on Saturday by Don White, Donna Stockle, Sandra Worthen and John Bishop.

Couples on Trip

Dr. and Mrs. Tom G. Hallsey and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boylan will spend this weekend at Carmel and San Francisco. While their parents are away, Beverly and Barbara Boylan will be attending the YMCA camp at Big Bear.

Doralee Chaffin Is Now Mrs. J. Richard Dawdy

Mr. and Mrs. Everett C. Chaffin, 24224 Adolph Ave., Torrance are today announcing the marriage of their daughter, Doralee, to Ens. J. Richard Dawdy, son of Mr. and

Sandstroms Home

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sandstrom, 2322 Eldorado, have just returned from a seven weeks trip, five of which were spent in British Columbia fishing at Shuswap and La la Hache lakes and other smaller lakes. On the way back to California they visited several points of interest in Washington and Oregon, taking the coast route from the border down to Torrance.

Valley Trip

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, 4722 Jacques St., spent last weekend at a resort motel in San Fernando Valley.

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Benefits Crippled Children

Las Amigas Annual Charity Horse Show Set for Aug. 14

Las Amigas will stage its third annual Junior Charity Horse Show on Sunday, Aug. 14, at the Empty Saddle Club in Rolling Hills. Las Amigas de Las Lomas is the Rolling Hills Auxiliary to the Crippled Children's Guild of Orthopaedic Hospital. Exhibitors under 18 years of age from all of Southern California will ride and compete, proceeds to be contributed to the hospital to aid in the building program. Last year's show raised almost \$2000 for the Pediatrics Wing of the Hospital.

A complete show has been planned, with classes offered in three divisions. Last year, Las Amigas introduced Shetland pony classes for junior drivers which met with great success. This year, an expansion of these classes has been included in the day's schedule. Las Amigas has invited Mr. Pete Clark of Long Beach to judge Stock, Trail, and Pleasure horses; and also the Stock Saddle Seat equitation events.

Classes will be offered for Saddle Horses and Saddle Horse Equitation in which the rider's ability is judged in contrast to the three-gaited and English Pleasure Horses events in which the young riders have an opportunity to, within an allotted time, make the most of the exhibition of their mounts in a walk, trot, and canter. To select and place in their proper order the best horses and riders, Mr. Erich W. L. Atterbury of Del Mar has accepted an invitation to serve as judge.

Hunters and Jumpers round

Diane Allen Will Teach In Okinawa

Miss Diane Kay Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen, 20909 La Salle Ave., left from San Francisco July 31 en route to Okinawa where she will teach Army Dependents during the coming school year.

Miss Allen has taught the first, second and third grades at Magruder school for the past year. Prior to this, she was a teacher at the Edison school.

Diane is a past Honored Queen of the Job's Daughters Bethel 50 of Torrance. She was graduated from Gardena High, attended Harbor college and received her degree from Long Beach State.

On Saturday evening her parents entertained at a buffet dinner at which relatives wished her bon voyage.

Attending the party were her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Allen; great uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Atkins; grandmother, Mrs. Millie Allen; grandfather, Mr. Joseph Ciurd; her sisters Judith and Jo Ann; Carol and Jo Ann; Carol and Richard Allen; and close friends, Max Wade and Sharon Brown.

out the third section. Jumpers may be of any breed, the winner of each class being the horse and rider jumping the course with the least number of faults. Hunters are horses used under saddle, having speed, endurance and jumping ability to carry their riders safely over obstacles of varying heights and shapes encountered. Mr. Atterbury will select the top riders and horses in this division.

The show will start at 8:30 a.m. on August 14, and will present 19 classes. The Los Angeles County Mounted Sheriff's Posse is sending fifteen men from the Lennox station to present the colors and remain in a mounting capacity.



MISS DIANE ALLEN
... Accepts New Position



MRS. J. RICHARD DAWDY
... Married Friday

(Photography by Crotty)